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ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., MONDAY EVENING, MAY 7, 1945.

Allies Received Unconditional Surrender at Reims Sunday

Sizable Forces Be Brought To Bear Upon Japanese Now

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months after V-E day to speed realization of V-J day, says Lt. Surrender Story

Hertford Lions Plan Ladies Night

Hertford, May 7—The Hertford a roadside north of Hamburg, where he apparently was slain in ches on the program for the several and earth auniversary ladies night at their meeting Friday night held at the Colonial Tourist Home.

The seventh annual happarents

The geventh annual banquet in honor of Indies night and night for the Lions to Howl, will be held Friday evening. May 18 at 7:45. Some prominent speakers have been asked to speak at the banquet

The Rev. J. D. Cranford, made a highly interesting talk on the Dumparten Oaks and the San Francisco Conference at Friday

nights meet. Chairman Charlie Skinner and Charles Williford reported to the club on the old clothes drive being conducted jointly with the Hertford Rotarians and in connecion with the national drive for

The Lions soft ball team has entered the soft ball league with the Harvey Point Noval Air Station and the Edenton Naval Air

ducted into the club, Mr. Ingram.
Guests of the club were the
Rev. Albert Simus of Littleton
who is holding regival services at Dr. J. J. Skinner.

Dare Leads Nation In Variety of Fish

has more kind of fish than any other of the 3,083 counties in the S. Eureau of Fisheries.

This phenomen is caused by the fact that there are salt, brackish and fresh waters in the sounds and the ocean that touch this famous little county in the Al-hemarle section of North Caro-

of the trade in this area. There croakers, shad, herring, rock and all other kinds of fish known are

Army Headquarters, Pacific Ocean Areas, May 7-(A) The United States will have "a sizeable force" of Army troops in the Pacific within three to four Close As European War Ends

In an interview the General declined to say preflectly how many troops will be shifted into the Pacific by next fall for use by Gen. Douglas MacArthur, chief of the Army's "on to Tokyo" forces.

However Huse Military Committee members in Washington have disclosed that tentative plans are to send 6,000,000 picked troops against Nippen, indicating the trementus scope of operations to come.

"Wer Against Japan Speeded "It is the policy of the War Department," said the General, "to prosecute the war against."

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Edward Kennedy, Associated Press correspondent who sent from Reins, France, first word of Germany's unconditional surrender, has been chief of AP war coverage in Europe virtually since the beginning of American Army engagements against the Germans.

A reporter for 20 years, Kennedy now is chief of the AP staff on the Western Front. After two years with the British in Africa and Greece, he became head of the AP North African staff at Algiers in the spring of 1943 and discovering of the Si-

Europe we hope to have enough shipping, allowed we hope to have enough thave sufficient, the General added. "Our power is growing all the time while theirs (Japan) is weakening.

"Japan nust see the inevitabilative of defeat."

North Africa.

Kennedy, 39. and a native of Brocklyn, joined the Associated Press in 1932, and went abroad after three years on the Washington staff. He reported the Spanish Civil War, later worked in Rome, and covered Hitler's entry into Sudetenland.

Not So Many Needed

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Found Near Roadside

All the schools in Elizabeth City observed a period of prayer and thanksgiving as soon as the sig-

thanksgiving as soon as the signal announcing the surrender of Germany was given. Superintendent of City Schools J. G. McCracken and the principals decided to hold one session and let

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fore adjourning court. Confirmation brought the announcement With the British Second Army, from Judge Dixon that "since this May 7—(P)—The bullet riddled day is bigger than anything we body of German Field Marshal comprehend and calls for expresions of great gratitude and hu-



It was General Ike Eisenhower, above, who asked German Gentaken from the deep but pene-trable water that surround Roa-terms of the surrender and accepted the surrender when General

Allies Plan V-E Day Preclamation



PRESIDENT HARRY TRUMAN



Not So Many Needed
The Allies in the Pacific probably will not need as many troops as were thrown against Germany's unconditional surrender to the Allies came directly from Edward Kennedy, chief of the AP staff on the western front. Kennedy's dispatch was transmitted via Paris from Reims, Gen. for fighting the Japanese.

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"Japan is like Europe." General Richardson observed, "in that it is civilized and not full of jungles. It has roads, telephones and cities just as Europe has." ters, to the London office of the AP, and relayed from there to New York via AP's leased cable facilities. In the courthouse, where Superior Court has just convened Judge Richard Dixon, lawyers and audience waited for official confirmation other than the sirens because of the AP, and relayed from there to New York via AP's leased cable facilities. Germany Was Wounded In Plot Against Hitler

Col. Gen. Gustav Jodl who signed the unconditional surrender for Germany apparently is the same as Gen. Alfred Jodl who was wounded last July 20 in the attempted assassination of Adolf Hitler. The surrender dispatch said Jodl was the new German Army Chief of Staff.

Precisely when he became Chief of Staff was not clear. Col, Gen. Heinz Guderian had occupied that position until the closing days of the siege of Berlin. His fate and whereabouts has not been reported since Berlin fell.

On March 17, Jodl inspected the Bavarian redoubt where the Nazis had hoped to make their last stand. Back in 1942,

Band Draws 4,000 At Norfolk Park **Premiers Among**

Norfolk, May 7—Close to 4,000 persons turned out Sunday at City Park for the first of the summer Notables Released series of Sunday band concerts begun by the 85-piece Elizabeth City High School Band, Waldo R. Hainsworth, director of recre-

ation, estimated today.

Band members, resplendent in eration from a Nazi prison by U their black and gold uniforms S. Seventh Army forces sweeping paraded in the field bordering through Austria. Granby street preceding the concert. Program selections included patch from Itter as saying he in tended to write a book to prove bold, vocalist. The majorettes, forming a triangle before the bandstand, exhibited their skill in baton twirling while marches were freed were Lt. Gen. Tadeusz Ko

This is the second appearance Maxime Weygand and Lt. John C of the band at the City Park con- Winant Jr., son of the U. S, am

Revival at Hertford

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Jodl was reported to have been Hitler's personal aide. He attended many of the Hitler-Mussolini war conferences early in the conflict and

was mentioned late in 1942 as a possible successor to Marshal Von Brauchitsch, commander of the German armies. He was chief of the German armed services guidance staff early in 1943 and the following year assumed a command on the Russian

Two Former French Russian Flyer Salutes Flag

layed. morowski, the famed "General Following the concert band Bor" who led the bloody Polis members were taken to Ocean underground uprising in Warsay Gen. Maurice G. Gamelin and Ger Schuschnigg Found

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Close Wednesday

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Statement By Nazi Officer Says Reich Now in Hands of Allies

Commissioners Halt Session When War In Europe Ended

V-E Day crupted the session of the county commissioners' meeting just as the seven men had congregated for their deliberative session. The board immediately adjourned and deferred action upon their business until Tuesday.

Hour of Truman **Announcement V-E** Day Not Decided

London, May 7- P-The British Ministry of Information announced that tomorrow will be treated as V-E

Washington, May 7 (A) I dent Truman said today he agreed with the London and cow governments that he w make no announcement on surrender of enemy forces "unti a simultaneous announcement can be made by the three govern-

Washington, May 7-(AP)-President Truman was conferring with aides in the executive offices today as news was flashed to the world from Reims of the unconditional surrencer of German

Newsmens surged into the White House in anticipation of an expected V-E announcement. OWI Director Elmer Davis was mong those at the White House. He told reporters:

"When there is any official an-nouncement it will come from in there." (Indicating the President's

Mr. Truman arrived at his office at 8:27 a.m. EWT, accompanied by his military and naval aides, and went directly to his office.

'We don't know when there will be an announcemet."

ord, away by himself.

(See V-E DAY page (

As Siren Sounds Nazi Surrender

While he waited on foot for the and stood back to salute it.

urned and went, without any Flora emerged and the flags were

By EDWARD KENNEDY

Reims, France, May 7—(AP)—Germany surrendered unconditionally to the Western Allies and Russia at 8:41 p.m., Eastern War Time Sun-

The surrender took place at a little red school house which is the headquarters of Geo. Eisen-

The surrender which brought the war in Europe to a formal end after five years, eight months and six days of bloodshed and destruction was

signed for Germany by Col. Gen. Custav-Jodl. It was signed for the Supreme Allied Command by Lientenant General Walter Bedell Smith, chief of staff for General Eisenhower.

RUSSIANS AND FRENCH SIGN It was also signed by General Ivan Susloparoff for Russia and by General Franccois Sever

General Eisenhower was not present at the signing, but immediately afterward Jodl and his fellow delegate, General Admiral Hans General Friedchurg, were received by the Supreme Com- a, buy

Vice Prie asked sternly if they miderstood In London lay terms imposed upon Germany and ly anti-Soviet terms imposed upon Germany.

They answered yes.

Germany, which began the war with a ruthless attack upon Poland followed by successive aggressions and brutality in internment camps, surrendered with an appeal to the victors for mercy toward the German people and armed forces.

"In this war which has lasted more than five years both have achieved and suffered more than perhaps any other people in the world."

After signing the full surrender, Jodl said he wanted to speak and was given leave to do so.

"With this signature," he said in soft-spoken German, "The German people and armed forces are for better or worse, delivered into the victors'

Portal-To-Portal Pay

Upheld by High Court Newsmen who have been staffing the White House around the clock for a week, jammed the big oval reception room.

Nothing Official

Washington, May 7—(AP)—The Supreme Court ruled today that bituminous coal miners are entitled to portal-to-portal undergoes, out above all to the wound-ground wages.

Nothing Official

White House aides said they had nothing official to announce at once on a cessation of hostilities in Europe.

Press Secretary Jonathan Daniels told a news conference during the morning he had "nothing to say" on a V-E day proclamation.

"The White House has nothing official to announce here now," he is pay for the time spent traveling from the mine opening official to announce here now," he is portal-to-portal underground wages.

Justice Murphy delivered the court's 5-4 decision. Justice Jackson which Chief Justice Stone and Justices Roberts and Frankfurter concurred.

The court on March 27, 1944 ruled that iron ore miners must be paid portal-to-portal underground wages.

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HOG MARKETS Mount and 14.85 at Richmond.

German nation and its Reich we bow in deep reverence before the

official to announce here now," he to the actual working place and that the future will be difficult stated in response to questions. back again. sacrifices from us to every sphere be an announcemet."

At that time President Truman was in his private office swapping talk with Sgt. James P. Connor, (See V-E. DAY page () (See V-E. DAY page the path through the dark future These are the factors guaranteeing the best state: unity, justice and liberty.

Help One Another

"From the collupse of the past, let us preserve and save one thing unity, the ideas of the national light on Poindexter and Main to turn from green to red a father whose only son is somewhere in Germany fell, somewhat idly into

onversation with an acquaintance. The talk was of the war and of where a church bell pealed and he hour when peace would come beace to half the warring world tively toward the sound of it, for nd to the father's troubled heart. The sirens wailed and the father was once a warning. From the sirens wailed and the father was once a warning. From the sirens wailed and he the City Hall Mayor Jerome B. The sirens wailed and went without any Flora emerged and the flars were

ord, away by himself. A little way down the street the wrinkles out of them and the our young Russian aviators, their Mayor turned back to his desk. Iniforms still a little strange for ull they or their uniforms have Presently there was flattened Will Thank Him

Decome a not unusual sight, stop- against the window above it a Barcelona, May 7-(P)-Pierre